

MAINTAINING ACCESS TO A VIDEO STACK  
AFTER AN APPLICATION CRASH

ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE

5 An application may connect to a video stack  
through a separate server which uses a window in a  
separate address space from the video window used by  
the application to seek video services. If the  
application crashes, sufficient time will be available  
to allow the television capture card and the video  
stack to be shut down in an orderly fashion and to  
enable them to be reused by subsequent applications  
10 without requiring that the computer be rebooted.

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